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Appl. No. 10/765,752
Reply to Office Action of July 25, 2006**REMARKS**

Applicants thank the Examiner for the indication of allowable subject matter in claims 12 – 19. Applicants have amended claim 12 to include all of the limitations of the independent base claim 1. Applicant shave amended claim 16 to include all of the limitations of the independent base claim 9. In light of the foregoing, Applicants submit that claims 12 – 19 are now in condition for allowance.

Applicants make no representations as to the validity or correctness of the Examiner's outstanding rejections, and reserve the right to further prosecute the rejected claims in any one or more subsequently filed continuation applications.

Examiner's remaining references cited but not relied upon, considered either alone or in combination, fail to teach applicant's currently claimed invention. In light of the foregoing, Applicants respectfully submit that all claims now stand in condition for allowance.

Respectfully submitted,

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